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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicants : Gregory S. Bayley et al.
Serial No. : 09/618,536
Filing Date : July 18, 2001
For : INFLATABLE CURTAIN
Group Art Unit : 3616
Examiner : Ruth Ilan
Attorney Docket No. : TRW(AP)4566
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PETITION TO EXTEND PERIOD FOR RESPONSE

Sir:

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §1.136(a), applicant hereby requests
a one (1) month extension of the period for response to the
Office Action mailed December 24, 2003. The response date set
in the Office Action was March 24, 2004. A response is being
filed herewith today, April 6, 2004, which is within the first
month after the response date. Enclosed is a check in the
amount of \$110.00, which is the fee for a one month extension.

Accordingly, applicant hereby requests that the period for
response be extended by one (1) month so that the response filed
herewith will be considered timely filed.

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this document to our Deposit Account No. 20-0090.

Respectfully submitted,

A handwritten signature in dark ink, appearing to read "Matthew M. Shaheen", is written over a horizontal line.

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